Lesson 2 Saying Goodbye and Expressing Regret (10 pts.)

1. **How do you say “Goodbye” in your country?**

Paka( Пока) means “goodbye” in Russian.

1. **Are there different ways of saying “Goodbye”? Why?**

Yes, because one way is for formal situations and the other is for informal or casual situations.

1. **What are some of the other ways of saying “Goodbye”? Indicate when and for whom they should be used:**

**“**Paka”is used in friendly and casual situations. Da svidaniya is the formal way of saying goodbye.

Expressing Regret

If you are the offender (the person who needs to say “I’m sorry!”)…

1. **What are examples of different situations for saying “I’m sorry!” in your host culture?**

Examples of when you would say I’m sorry are when you accidentally hurt someone, or are trying to get their attention.

1. **What do you say if you do something awkward, like bump into someone?**

You would say (извините) “Izvinite” which means sorry.

1. **What do you say if something sad has happened to someone?**

"Mnye ochen zhal" which means I am very sorry.

1. **What do you say if you’ve forgotten something or done/said something inappropriate?**

You would say “Izvinite”, if it’s an informal event but “Mnye ochen zhal” if the occasion is serious, like a business meeting.

1. **What kinds of response(s) could you expect to hear from the person you’ve offended in each situation (if mentioned in your language lesson)? Write their response in (parentheses) beside each version of “I’m sorry!”**

Izvinite! (Nichivo strashnava).

Mnye ochen zhal! (Nichivo strashnava).